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M. Samy EL-SHALL et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3619
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PETITION TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF NAMES OF JOINT INVENTORS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.182

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the order in which the names of the joint inventors appear in the above-identified application be changed. By the present Petition, it is requested that the inventors be listed in the following order:

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